MDNR Appendix F - Section Specific Comment 130:

Comment:

Section 4.3.4, Risk Assessment Methods Used, page 9 - When documenting the risk assessment approach, please clearly identify whether risk estimates are for 1) short-term risk during implementation of the remedy, and 2) post-remedial risk assessment.

Discussion:

The human health risk assessment methods described in this section are intended to be used wherever they are applicable. A new section describing the short-term risk assessment approach used for all alternatives has been added.

Proposed Text Change:

These changes have been made to Appendix F and they affect a significant portion of that document. They have not been reproduced in this response but will be available for review when the next revision of Appendix F is submitted.

EPA FEEDBACK:

EPA generally accepts this response; however, EPA will have to review the revised Appendix F in the final SFS report to ensure that these issues are fully addressed. In addition, as EPA has previously stated, a post-remedial risk assessment is not planned for this site.